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Applicant : Ruth Sager et al.                      Art Unit : 1641  
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Title : TRANSCRIPTIONAL REGULATORY SEQUENCES AND USES THEREOF

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Washington, D.C. 20231

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to examination, please ~~amend~~ the application as follows.

In the Title:

Please ~~amend~~ the title to read as follows:

**MASPIN TRANSCRIPTIONAL REGULATORY SEQUENCES  
AND USES THEREOF**

REMARKS

The title is being amended to more clearly describe the named invention.

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